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In re the Application of:

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For: DEVICES AND METHODS FOR  
CREATING LESIONS IN  
ENDOCARDIAL AND  
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ISOLATE FOCAL ARRHYTHMIA  
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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action, mailed August 13, 2003, and the Notice of Non-Compliant  
Amendment, mailed January 5, 2004, please amend the application as follows:

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